GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
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COAL MINES COVERED BY NLC CIL
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the total area of mines covered by the Neyveli Lignite Corporation (NLC Ltd.) and Coal India Limited (CIL);

(b) the area of public land acquired by the Neyveli Lignite Corporation Ltd. and Coal India Limited;

(c) the number of persons given compensatory benefits by the NLC Ltd. and CIL;

(d) the details of production and sale in both quantity and value of Lignite from NLC Ltd. during each of the last five years; and

(e) the number of jobs proposed to be provided by both the NLC and Coal India Ltd. in the next two years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COAL (SHRI N.T. SHANMUGAM)

(a) to (c) NLC CIL

Total area of Mines	6,276.41.0 Hectares	3,36,686 Hectares approx.
Area of Public land acquired	9,255.06 Hectares	59,101 Hectares.
The number of persons given compensatory benefits.	19,284 Persons	42,278 Persons

d) The details of production and raw sale of lignite other than for power in NLC quantity wise and value wise from 1995-99 are as under:-

Year	Unit	Production		Sale	
		Quantty	Value	Quantty	Value
1995-96	Lakh Tonnes	172.05	Rs.727.92 Crores	13.56	Rs.86.73 Crores
1996-97	Lakh Tonnes	173.54	Rs.729.97 Crores	12.70	Rs.82.10 Crores
1997-98	Lakh Tonnes	181.08	Rs.770.91 Crores	11.91	Rs.89.12 Crores
1998-99	Lakh Tonnes	181.68	Rs.868.56 Crores	8.83	Rs.65.77 Crores
1999-00	Lakh Tonnes	175.51	Rs.852.76 Crores	3.85	Rs.31.36 Crores

e) It is estimated that approximately 2200 jobs in CIL will be generated in the next two years depending on the approval of new projects. In NLC, a manpower study is underway and vacancies can be decided only after this is completed.